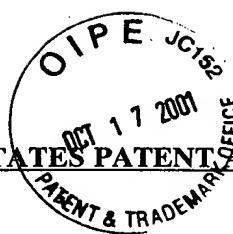


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for one (1) month. The fee set in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for the extension of time is \$110.00

The fee is enclosed by way of credit card authorization. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account 07-1337. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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